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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Katsuyuki OKEYA

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For: METHOD OF CALCULATING MULTIPLICATION BY SCALARS ON
AN ELLIPTIC CURVE AND APPARATUS USING SAME AND
RECORDING MEDIUM

Group: 2134

Examiner: J. Lipman

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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October 12, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated May 13, 2005, and preliminary to the examination of the RCE being filed concurrently with this amendment, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.